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TITLE OF INVENTION: METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR MANAGEMENT OF INFORMATION RELATED TO THE APPEARANCE OF AN OBJECT

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